# EUROPEA

CORES of Washington residents doubtless are planning this year to spend a portion, at least, of the summer in European travel. Each year this capital of the greatest nation on earth is represented abroad by numbers of its residents, and the capitals of Europe, the spas, "bads," mountains, lake country and all the hills and valleys of the lands across the sea are made the objective points of journeys of greater or less length.

Every Washingtonian who visits London-and very few of the Americans Will Find Much of European vacationers fail to see the sights of the metropolis of fogs, suffragettes and other things essentially British-should not fail to take advantage of the information to be obtained at the London bureau of The Washington Star. Like the shadow of a great rock in a weary land is the sight of the title, "The Washington Star," which appears in big letters above the door at No. 3 Regent street Here. The Star maintains a bureau of information, where tourists may obtain all manner of information in regard to hotel rates, desirable pensions-which is European for boarding houses-routes and rates of travel, and all the multifarious points on which travelers in a strange land always desire first-hand information.

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paragraph or two is impossible, but one offer in can have, perhaps, the best idea of its winter. One side of this truly majestic avenue the side of this truly majestic avenue is bordered with imposing shops equaling entrancing loveliness from the deck of one of the Rhine steamers. Seated in

central spa, containing a capacious ball and concert hall, the society avenue of the county. Pittville Park with its boating lakes and pump room is but a short distance away, and just beyond is the Cheltenham race course, the finest steeplechase course in the United Kingdom. On the cutskirts and reached by electric car is the delightful resort of Cleeve Hill, Lowe feet above sea level, with seven counties spread out at one's feet; here also is the 15-hole golf course. In every direction round the town are delightful environs. Indoor entertainment is lavishly provided at the theater and oper house, hippodrome and other amusement palaces, and at the al fresco and crack band concerts given in the Monpellier gardens each afternoon and evening throughout the season.

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In all Europe there is nothing more beautiful than the Rhineland. The old Princes Palatine used to point from the towers of their incomparable castle at Keidelberg to the glorious plains of the Rhine beyond, and say, 'that is where the Garden of Paradise was; it could not have been elsewhere.'

To attempt to describe the Rhine in a paragraph or two is impossible, but one

## Attractions in Germany.

entraining shops equaling any in the fashion centers of London or Paris; the other by lawns and parterres resplendent in spring and summer with the choicest flowers.

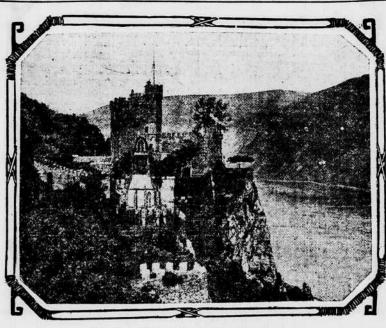
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The Continental Times, Berlin, writes:
"The Kussian afternoon concert held at the Eden Hotel Tuesday was an underlying the continent of the oad of Berlin Kurfurstendamm and the

the Eden Hotel Tuesday was an unqualified success. It was largely attended by members of the Russian and other embassies, well known people in the world of art and literature, and a good many visitors, including English and Americans. The program consisted exclusively of compositions by Russian composers, performed by excellent Russian artists, among whom were Fraulein Ludmila Orsina of Kief, Herr Warlagin of the St. Petersburg opera, and Fraulein Ribler of Moscow. Both soloists and orchestra were much applauded."

denly as we approached the northern end and swet-Bowness bay, an entirely new scene revealed itself.

There, stretched before their marveling eyes, was the wider and far grander upper reach of the lake—the true Windermere, with its magnificent amphitheater of mountains. Range after range of them appeared in noble succession—the High Street range over the Troutbeck valley, the Lancashire Felis, Coniston Old Man and Wetherlam, the Lancashire Felis, Coniston Old the Eden Hotel Tuesday was an un-Moscow. Both solois were much applauded. Numerous other papel nuch applauded."
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concert in their editorial columns.

#### He Took Chances.

rom the London Tit-Bits The judge in the wild and woolly west had declared that he would stop the carrying of firearms in the street. Before him appeared for trial a tough youth charged with getting drunk and firing his revolver in a crowded street. "Twenty shillings and costs," said the

"But, your honor," interposed counsel for the prisoner, "my client did not hit "Yes," but he fired it into the air," ex-plained the lawyer.
"Twenty shillings and costs," repeated the judge. "He might have shot an

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rom Judge Every pretty girl is aware of the fact, but no young man who mentions it to her will be censured.

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"I never saw him in my life" was the forests of great pines slept in the moorn light, which was drenching all the country side. The purple to a darker velvet where they were more closely packed.

"I took dinner with a party of American and the more forests of great pines slept in the moon and tribulation. Between them and most glorious panoramas that ever the "Him" exclaimed the witness.

rate there was a hush in the conversa-tion. They allowed, certainly, that they had higher mountains, deeper lakes, longer rivers and bigger most other things than we had, but they freely and frankly admitted that they had nothing so Edenlike to show in any one prescribed area. There was a magic something about

#### Many Other Attractive Scenes

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tropolis. But those who would effect economy in both time and money should

### He Had Often Heard of Him.

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"Now, sir," said the couns "The night I climbed the hill behind the defense. "I suppose we may take it. stel will be a searing memory for many from the flattering description you hav nidsummer moons. The dark was filling given of the jestator, his good points, and the valleys when I gained the crest, his personal appearance generally, that

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